

**January 26, 2006**  
**Informational Correspondence**

Letter to Commissioners received November 16, 2005 from anonymous party expressing concern with Yolo County Counsel perspective on location of proposed Clarksburg Sugar Mill Project with respect to the Primary Zone.

*Copy of letter provided to Commissioners at November 17, 2005 meeting.*

Letter from Commission (Executive Director) to Regional Water Quality Control Board providing general comments on the Sacramento-San Joaquin Delta Mercury TMDL and announcing formation of a Delta Mercury Collaborative sent on November 17, 2005 pursuant to Commission direction on November 17, 2005.

Letter from Commission to Office of the Governor expressing support for regional and local funding collaboration for flood protection for the Delta sent November 18, 2005 pursuant to Commission direction on November 17, 2005.

Letter from Commission (Executive Director) to Sunne Wright McPeak, Secretary of California business, Transportation & Housing Agency supporting a Delta-wide Branding concept, including Visitor Center(s) and Signage pursuant to Commission Direction on November 17, 2005.

Letter to Tim Fisher (Courtland Plaza Project) from Reclamation District No. 551 w/cc to the Commission, dated November 17, 2005, regarding levee maintenance, public access liability, and the District's opinion that a permit from the State Reclamation Board is necessary.

Letter from Commission (Executive Director) dated November 29, 2005 to Yolo County Planning, Resources and Public Works providing comments on the draft Parks Master Plan to allow for opportunities to include delta trail concept, delta branding, clean boating programs, and abandoned vessel programs in addition to previous comments provided by the Commission.

Document from George Bayse to the Commission, dated December 2005, providing the California Flood Control Association's proposed language for amending the State Water Code relative to the Delta Levee Program.

Letter from Commission (Executive Director) dated December 6, 2005 to Yolo County Planning Commission providing notice of intent to provide comment on the Draft Program Environmental Impact Report for the Old Sugar Mills Specific Plan and expressing the continuing position that the plan area is in the Primary Zone of the Delta.

Letter, dated December 12, 2005, from the Commission (Executive Director) to Yolo County (Assistant Planning Director) providing specific comments on the re-circulated draft PEIR for the Old Sugar Mill site specific plan.

Letters, dated December 13, 2005, from Commission (Executive Director) to the new State Reclamation Board members, congratulating them on their appointments and initiating contacts for one-on-one meetings to share about the DPC with them.

Letters of support for the Commission's Working Landscapes Grant application were received prior to the December 15, 2005 deadline from the following: Yolo Basin Foundation, The Nature Conservancy, Reclamation District 999, Natural Resource Conservation Service, Yolo County Board of Supervisors, Sacramento County Board of Supervisors and the Solano County Resources Management Division.

Letter, dated December 15, 2005, from the Commission (Executive Director) to State Clearinghouse/City of Rio Vista providing comments on the Rio Vista Perimeter Road proposed Mitigated Negative Declaration.

Copy of letter dated December 19, 2005 received from James Pachl, on behalf of the Concerned Citizens of Clarksburg, to Yolo County Planning and Public Works Department providing comments on the Old Sugar Mill Specific Plan and Re-circulated DEIR.

Received copy of California Regional Water Quality Control Board letter, dated December 19, 2005, to Yolo County Planning and Public Works Department providing comments on EIR for the Old Sugar Mill Specific Plan.

Received notice from California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Valley Region on December 20, 2005 regarding February 8, 2006 workshop in Modesto to discuss development of a proposed Basin Plan Amendment to establish new salinity and boron water quality objectives in the Lower San Joaquin River upstream of Vernalis and a total maximum daily load to implement salinity and boron water quality objectives.

Letter dated December 21, 2005 from Commission (Executive Director) to CALTRANS district directors for Delta, recommending support for Delta branding/signage.

Received Notice dated January 3, 2006 from Solano Land Trust announcing a public meeting about a potential restoration project on Calhoun Cut Ecological Preserve on February 21, 2006, from 11:00 a.m., at SID office in Vacaville.

Received notice of Congressman Mike Thompson's Town Hall meeting scheduled for January 6<sup>th</sup>, 5:00-7:00 in Clarksburg.

Received copy of letter from Topper Van Loben Sels to Pete Rabbon, Manager of the State Reclamation Board expressing concern with the increasing number of projects proposed for the North Delta, including Courtland Plaza, Courtland Trace, Sugar Factory, and East Walnut Grove proposals.

Letter dated January 13, 2006 sent to the County of Sacramento Planning and Community Development Department commenting on the River Oaks proposal for East Walnut Grove.

Letter dated January 13, 2006 sent by Commission to Chair of the Sacramento County Board of Supervisors in support of discovery center, signage, and Delta branding concept.